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In School Days

BY J. G. WHITTIER.

Still sits the schoolhouse by the road,
A ragged beggar sunning;
Around it still the sumachs grow,
And blackberry vines are running.

Within, the master's desk is seen,
Deep scarred by raps official;
The warping floor, the battered seats,
The jack-knife's carved initial;

The charcoal frescoes on its walls,
Its door's worn sill, betraying
The feet that, creeping slow to school,
Went storming out to playing!

Long years ago a winter's sun
Shone over it at setting;
Lit up its western window panes,
And low eaves' icy fretting.

It touched the tangled golden curls,
And brown eyes full of grieving,
Of one who still her steps delayed
When all the school were leaving.

For near her stood the little boy
Her childish favor singled,
His cap pulled low upon a face
Where pride and shame were mingled.

Pushing with restless feet the snow
To right and left he lingered,
As restlessly her tiny hands
The blue-checked apron fingered.

He saw her lift her eyes; he felt
The soft hand's light caressing,
And heard the trembling of her voice,
As if a fault confessing.

"I'm sorry that I spelt the word;
I hate to go above you,
Because"—the brown eyes lower fell—
"Because, you see, I love you!"

Still memory to a gray-haired man
That sweet child-face is showing.
Dear girl! the grasses on her grave
Have forty years been growing!

He lives to learn, in life's hard school,
How few who pass above him
Lament their triumph and his loss,
Like her—because they love him.

Miscellaneous.

IN THE WRONG ROOM;
OR
Nat. Harrison's Experience.

"In early days old Nat. Harrison was elected to the Legislature from this county," said a fellow as we were all seated around the stove, in a little hotel at Mc Lainsboro', Hamilton county, Illinois.

Old Nat. was a regular old brick! He was elected just because there was no one to run against him. Our county was rather bad off for intelligent people in those days. A few days after old Nat. had gone to Springfield, to attend to the duties of his office, I happened to be there on business of a private character, and thinking he would be glad to hear from the folks at home, I concluded to call on him at the "Prairie House," and inquire after his health."

"I've been well, Tom," said he, "but I got awfully scared the first night I stayed in this 'ere darned place."

"How was that?" I inquired.

"Well," said Nat. "I'll tell you all about it. You see that fellow there behind the counter; the fellows here call him the bard—well, I told him I wanted to see my bed, so I'd know where to sleep when I'd come in after a while. He took me up stairs to a little room, and said I could sleep there, and then he went down. I took good notice of it—brown door with yaller streaks here and there, and white earthen lock handle.

"I started down stairs a-thinkin about this, and I wouldn't look at another door' for fear I'd get 'em kinder mixed up in my head, and then forget which was mine.

"About twelve o'clock that night I came in with a kind of half-grown hummin' in my head, and the very first thing I found at the top of the stairs was my own identical door, with the yaller streaks and white lock handle.

"Good," says I, and in I lumbers. I walked up to the bed, and what do ye think? Why, I finds some one of your long-legged, black-whiskered town fellers in it—fast asleep. I takes him by the beard, reared him up on his end, and gives him a short sarment—tells him to leave as quick as double triggers, or I'll be d—d if I wouldn't kick him down stairs—tells him I don't want to do it nuther, for I am a member of the Legislature—the Representative from Hamilton—but if I git to fighting he'd find me a full team. The fellow looked awfully scared, and without saying a word he got up very humble like, and started for his dry goods, which hung on a chair up in one corner. I sot down the light and began to undress; and says I to him, draw on them duds and toddle from here for I'll be cussed if I—'turning around at the same time to look fierce at him—I see's him a comin' at me with one of the drottest butcher knives in the world.

"Well, thought I, Nat, you've got yourself in a close place, by Jingo! and so we begun to lumber around the room like the very nation. Here I went, here he come. At last I got between him and the door, and out I shot.

"This beats the devil, says I, a Representative to the Legislature treated in this way. I went down stairs and told the fellow behind the counter that some cuss was in my room.

"No I guess not," said he; "perhaps there is some mistake—your room is number eight."

"Thinks I perhaps there may be some mistake; and so I goes back. When I got up to the top of the stairs I began to count at the first door, and on till I counted eight. I found then they all looked exactly alike. I opened the eighth door and went in, feeling certain that it was picked out for me. A candle was burning on the table, by the light of which I saw that some person was in the bed. Not feeling inclined to kick up another fuss, I concluded to crawl in with him and say nothing about it. In a very short time I was in bed and ready to go to sleep. I had not been in bed long before the door opened, and a young man and woman came into the room and took seats by the candle stand.

"Something else on hand, Nat," thought I to myself, "but let 'em rip."

"They looked very serious at first, but finally it wore off, and they got to chatting very lovingly, and to huggin' and kissin a little. I was delighted with the performance, and thought the feller in bed with me ought to see it and enjoy the fun too: so I whispered to him.

"Say, Captain—old hoss, just look up.'

"They both started up, like a shakin mill had touched 'em, and they seemed to be awfully scared, till the gal said, 'it was only the wind blowin agin the winder."

"They soon got to huggin' and kissin' again, and as I could not rouse our friend I thought I would jest have a little fun to myself.

"c lips," says I, jest as they was a fetching their lips together, and up they sprang like lightning and loped for the door; but as fortune would have it, the young feller had dropped the key, and he couldn't get out.

"Never mind,' says I, it's fun for me as well as you. I love to see sich things a-goin' on.'

"This seemed to scare 'em more than ever.

"It was rich, too rich to enjoy alone, and I determined to wake up my bed feller. I slapped my hand on his chin—it was cold as ice. 'Thunder and St. Louis, Nat' said I, you're in bed with a dead man,' and without waiting to consider the matter I sprang to the floor.—The youngsters gave a loud squall, fetched up against the closed door, and I pitched with 'em which resulted in smashing the darned thing open.—Without waiting for ceremonies or formalities we all bolted for the stairs.—Hearing the racket, the landlord who occupied a room still further back, came bolting after us. Catching a glimpse of him I took him to be the dead man, and so I put all the steam on, and ran close in the wake of the lovers. I could not pass them, however, for they were frightened out of their senses, having no idea but what I was the deceased in close pursuit. In this condition we all tumbled promiscuously down stairs into the bar-room.

"Now let's go and take something, boss," said Nat, 'but don't say anything about this when you get home, or Sally may be uneasy about me."

The Arkansas Traveler.

Some years ago a traveler in Arkansas approached a squatter's cabin in search of lodgings, and discovered the proprietor sitting in front of the door playing the "Arkansaw Traveler" on the fiddle. The following interesting dialogue is reported to have taken place:

TRAVELER—Halloo, stranger.

SQUATTER—Halloo yourself.

T—Can I get to stay all night with you?

S—No sir, you can't git to—

T—Have you any spirits here?

S—Lots of 'em, Sal saw one last night by that thar ole holler gum and it nearly skeered her to death.

T—You mistake my meaning, have you any liquor?

S—Had some yesterday, but ole Bose he got in and lapped all uv it out'n the pot.

T—You don't understand me, I don't mean pot liquor. I'm wet and cold, and want some whiskey—have you got any?

S—Oh, yes—I drank the last this morning.

T—I'm hungry, havn't had a thing since morning, can't you give me something to eat?

S—Hain't a durned thing in the house. Not a mouthful of meat, or dust of meal here.

T—Well can't you give my horse something?

S—Got nothing to feed him on.

T—How far is it to the next house?

S—Stranger! I don't know, I've never been there.

T—Well, do you know who lives here?

S—I do.

T—As I'm so bold, then, what might your name be?

S—It might be Dick, and it might be Tom, but it lacks right smart of it.

T—Sir! will you tell me where this road goes to?

S—It's never been anywhar since I've lived here, it's always thar when I git up in the mornin'.

T—Well, how far is it to where it forks?

S—It don't fork at all, but splits up like blazes.

T—As I'm not likely to get to any other house to-night, can't you let me sleep in yours, and I'll tie my horse to a tree, and do without anything to eat or drink?

S—My house leaks. Thar's only one dry spot in it, and me an Sall sleeps on it. And that thar tree is the ole woman's persimmon, you can't tie to it, 'case she don't want them shuk off. She 'lows to make beer out'n um.

T—Why don't you finish covering your house and stop the leaks?

S—It's been raining all day.

T—Well, why don't you do it in dry weather?

S—It don't leak then.

T—As there seems to be nothing alive about your place but children, how do you do here anyhow?

S—Putty well, I thank you, how do you do yourself?

T—I mean what do you do for a living here?

S—Keep tavern and sell whisky.

T—Well, I told you I wanted some whisky.

S—Stranger, I bought a bar'l mor'n a week ago. You see me and Sall went shars. Arter we got it here, we only had a bit betweext us, and Sal, she didn't want to use hern fust, nor me mine. You see I had a spiggot in one end and she in tother. So she takes a drink out'n my end, and pays me the bit for it; then I'd take un out'n hern, and give her the bit. Well, we'a gitting long fust-rate, till Dick, durned skulking skunk, he bourn a hole in the bottom to suck at, and the next time I went to buy a drink they wurnt none thar.

T—I'm sorry your whisky's all gone; but my friend, why don't you play the balance of that tune?

S—It's got no balance to it.

T—I mean you don't play the whole of it.

S—Stranger, can you play the fiddle?

T—Yes a little sometim es.

S—You don't look like a fiddler, but if you think you can play any more onto that thar tune, you kin just git down and try.

(The traveler gets down and plays the whole of it.)

S—Stranger, take half a dozen cheers and sot down. Sal, stir yourself round; like a six horse team in a mud hole. Go round in th' holler where I killed that buck this mornin', cut off some of the best pieces, and fotch it and cook it for me and this gentleman, directly. Rise up the board under the head of the bed, and git the ole black jug I hid from Dick, and give us some whisky; I know thar's sum left yit. Til, drive ole Rose out'n the bread-tray, then clime up in the loft, and git the rag that's got the sugar tied in it. Dick, carry the gentleman's hoss round under the shed, give him some fodder and corn, much as he kin eat.

Til.—Dad, they ain't knives enuff for to sot the table.

S—W har's big butch, little butch, ole case, cob-handle, granny's knife and the one I handled yesterday? That's enuff to sot any gentleman's table, without you've lost um. Durn me, stranger, ef you can't stay as long as you please, and I'll give you plenty to eat and drink. Will you have coffee or supper?

T—Yes, sir.

S—I'll be hanged ef you do tho', we don't have nothin' that way here, but Grub Hyson, and I reckon it's mighty good with sweetnin'. Play away, stranger, you kin sleep on the dry spot to-night.

T—(After about two hours fiddling.) My friend can't you tell me about the road I'm to travel to-morrow.

S—To-morrow! stranger, you won't git out'n these diggins for six weeks. But when it gits so you kin start, you see that big sloo over thar? Well, you have to git cros that, then you take the road up the bank, and in about a mile you'll come to a two acre and a half corn patch, the corn's mitely in the weeds, but you needn't mind that, just ride on About a mile and a half or two miles from thar you'll come to the darndest swamp you ever struck in all your travels, its boggy enuff to mire a saddle blanket. Thar's a fust-rate road about six feet under thar.

T—How am I to get to it?

S—You can't git at it nary time, till the weather stiffens down sum. Well, about a mile beyant, you come to a place whar thur's two roads. You kin take the right hand ef you want to, you'll foller it a mile or so, and you'll find its run out; you'll then have to come back and try the left, when you git about two miles on that, you may know you are wrong, fur they ain't any road thar. You'll think you are mighty lucky of you kin find the way back to my house, whar you kin come and play on that tune as long as you please.

An Exciting Scene.

The peregrinations of showmen are often beset with numerous difficulties while pursuing their daily avocations in our Southern country, which with the usual winter rains and heavy roads, make it difficult for the managers to make good the promises of the agents. Such was the case with John Robinson's Circus and Menagerie a few days since. While performing in Tallahassa, Florida, it was mentioned to J. F. Robinson, Jr., that he might expect some difficulty in passing through a long and dismal swamp between that place and Quincy, on account of the large number of alligators who infested the ford at this particular locality, and who are at this season of the year very ferocious, and on the watch for any unfortunate mule or horse that may become entangled in the numerous roots, quicksands and holes which abound at the ford; but he replied, as the agent had already made the arrangements for him to go through, and it was not his nature to turn back, he had nothing left but to follow, trusting to his previous good fortune in getting thus far. The result of his decision although anticipating some difficulty, was far more serious than he anticipated.

At three o'clock, p. m., on Tuesday, January 25, Prof. Louis Houston, who has charge of the animals, started with the elephant Empress, the large Bactrian camel, the beautiful Arabian white camel, a fine thorough bred mare and colt, and two spotted coach dogs, to make the trip to Quincy, although repeatedly warned by Mr. J. F. Robinson, jr., not to attempt the passage of the swamp in any other than daylight. He, however, went through.—Before approaching the ford, an occasional bellow or roar was heard, betokening that the inhabitants of the locality had not retired for the night, and a sudden plunge and splash in the water would denote that the enemy was on the alert for mischief. The elephant would, every few steps, throw her trunk aloft, emitting at the same time a loud screach of defiance, the camels uttering low moans, while the horses almost refused to stir, and stood trembling with fear, while the dogs kept up an incessant howling. Approaching the water at the ford, Houston determined upon the immediate passage through, before the alligators had time to summon their crew.

Bidding the elephant enter, she stepped boldly in, at the same time lashing the water furiously with her trunk; the camels, horses and dogs following close in the rear. He had passed two-thirds of the way, when a sharp yelp of pain from one of the dogs and his sudden disappearance denoted that the swamp fiends were at work, and before he could collect his thoughts the other dog went under with a long death howl. He now began to think of his own safety and calling to the elephant, he commanded her to turn. As she did so a fearful roar was heard from the large Bactrian camel, who had at that instant been attacked.

The water seemed alive with alligators. The roaring, bellowing and screeching of elephant, camels and alligators were terrific. They would throw their ponderous jaws open and tear huge pieces of flesh from the camels while the poor brutes would utter heart rending groans and cries for relief. In the meantime the elephant was not idle. Ever solicitous for the welfare of her keeper and companions, she had, at the moment of seeing them safely landed upon the opposite shore, rushed back to the assistance of her friend, the camel, who by this time was nearly gone, and by creating the greatest furor among her assailants, succeeded in bringing the head of the camel to the shore, that portion being all that remained of the poor animal.

In the confusion that ensued, Houston did not miss the colt until warned by a shrill scream or neigh, which seemed to come from several rods below. Upon rushing down the stream a few yards, a terrible scene was presented to his view. It would seem that the denizens of Chattahoochee swamp for miles around had become cognizant of some extra attraction at that particular point on this night, and had started for that rendezvous, and upon reaching the scene of action had unexpectedly encountered both food and opposition at the same time—for, simultaneous with the meeting of the colt they met their pursuers, and an awful battle ensued. Several times it seemed as if the colt would escape and regain the shore, so busy were the alligators in destroying one another, but just before the poor creature would reach the land, some monster more ravenous than brave, would leave the melee, pursue and drag it back into deep water, until finally it became exhausted and fell an easy prey to the fearful reptiles while Professor Houston stood looking on with blanched and terrified looks, wholly unable to render the least assistance, threatend with a terrible death should he even attempt it. As he turned to retrace his steps toward the place where he left the remaining animals, he counted the cost. He had made the passage, but at a terrible sacrifice. He came out with an elephant, one camel and one horse. The camel was valuedat $5,000, and very rare. The colt Mr. Robinson had repeatedly refused $1,000 for. It will be many a long year before Mr. Houston will forget the horrors of passing through a Florida swamp at night.—*Fort Gaines Mirror.*

Extraordinary Feat in Science--Transfusion of a Dog's Blood.

The second annual meeting of the alumni of Rush Medical College was held at the College, corner of North Dearborn and Indiana streets, on yesterday morning. The hall was nearly filled. The meeting was called to order by the President, Dr. Ames, of Minnesota. It was announced that Dr. J. W. Freer, Professor of Physiology and Microscopical Anatomy, would exhibit to the alumni the experiment of the transfusion of blood. The experimenters consisted of Dr. Freer, Dr. Hunt, Dr. Wadsworth. A muzzled dog was led into the room and placed upon the table. A bottle of chloroform, a syringe, a thick earthen mortar, India rubber hose, and two frames containing upright tubes, from a foot to six feet in height, were the prominent objects. Dr. Freer stated that he was about to present two experiments: The first would show the force exerted by the heart and the walls of the arteries upon the blood. This would consist in opening the carotid artery of the dog, and allowing the blood to flow into the upright glass tubes. The height of the blood in the glass tubes would indicate the force. The second experiment would consist in removing the blood from the animal until it became apparently exsanguinated, and then restoring the dog to life again by injecting the fluid back again through the jugular vein.

Chloroform was administered to the dog in order to render it passive, and after about 15 minutes had elapsed, the beast was in a condition to be operated upon.

An incision was made in the neck, and the carotid artery laid bare. Two ligatures were tied around the artery about two inches apart, between which an incision was made into the artery, and a glass tube fitted into the incision. The tube was connected by the rubber hose with an upright glass tube seven feet long. As soon as the ligatures were unbound, the blood flowed rapidly into the tube, rising to a height of about six feet, where it stood, with a small oscillating movement of about an inch, caused by the beating of the heart of the dog.

A small amount of carbonate of soda in water solution had been placed in the tube in order to prevent the coagulation of the blood. While the red column remained in this position for a few minutes, the experimenter explained the phenomenon. If there was no pressure of the heart and arteries, the blood would not rise at all. Therefore, the height to which it rose

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In The Name of God, Stop!

Nearly four years of constant service in the late war made us familiar with scenes of violence and bloodshed, but we confess to having read the following dispatch with a feeling of disgust and horror. It is not the statement of a mawkish philanthropist, but an official telegram to Gen. Sutley, dated Helena, Montana, February 6th, and relates to a raid made on a camp of defenseless Piegan Indians, mainly composed of women and children, suffering from the smallpox and starving in mid-winter:

Of the 173 killed, 33 were men; of these 15 only were such as are called by them young or fighting men. These were between the ages of 12 and 37, the remaining 18 were between the ages of 37 and 70, 8 of the latter between 60 and 70. Ninety were women, the remaining 50 were children, none of them aged 12 years, and many of them in their mothers' arms. Out of 219 Indians belonging to Red Horn's camp, only 46 survived. Among them were 9 young men who escaped during the attack, and 5 were away hunting. The lives of 18 women and 19 children, none of them more than three years of age and the majority of them much younger, some of whom were wounded, were spared by the soldiers. Red Horn himself was killed. At the time of the attack this camp was suffering severely with smallpax, having had it among them for two months, the average rate of deaths among them having been six daily. The remnant of the Piegan Indians, with the exception of one band, upon hearing of the annihilation of Red Horns band, and fearing they might be called upon to share a similar fate, broke up their camp and fled.

Lest it should be alleged that these murders were committed without authority, we add that they were done by the express order of Gen. Sheridan, who during the late war made himself infamous by burning the barns, grain, farming utensils &c. of peaceful citizens of the Shenandoah Valley. The attack was deliberately planned; and as early as last October this heartless plunderer said to Gen. Grant:

"I think it would be the best plan to let me find out exactly where these Indians are going to spend the winter, and about the time of a good heavy snow I will send out a party and strike them. About the 15th of January they will be very helpless, and if where they live is not too far from Fort Shaw or Fort Ellis we might be able to give them a good, hard blow. They number about fifteen hundred, men, women, and children, all told."

This plan was approved by President Grant.

That is, Grant appoints a number of Quakers as Indian Agents, upon the theory that their pacific principles and honest dealings, may have a salutary effect upon these people, and in order to strengthen their hands, and get the Indians in a proper christian spirit of resignation, *ninety women and fifty children were ruthlessly slaughtered.*

We assert that such outrages are a disgrace not only to those who commit the butcheries, but to the administration which endorses them and the Press which applauds it. No Christian nation can sanction them. It is enough that we drive these people from their hunting grounds and homes, rob them of their annual supplies through rascally Indian Agents, without murdering their plague stricken men, helpless women, and infant children.

Unpatented Lands in Pennsylvania.

A memorial signed by J. Gillingham Fell, of Philadelphia, ex-Secretary of the Navy, A. E. Borie, A. Pardee, James Ross Snowden, and many others has been presented to the Legislature asking for favorable legislation in regard to unpatented tracts of land. The present laws direct the Surveyor General to calculate the amount of purchase money, interest and fees due on each unpatented tract, and after the descriptions of said tracts have been transmitted to the Prothonotaries of the respective counties, and entered as hereinafter provided, the amounts so found to be due, together with five dollars for the labor and cost of making out and filing, shall form an aggregate sum, which shall be entered in a lien docket to be provided and kept for that purpose; and the said sum shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. In conformity with this law, lien dockets have been forwarded to each county, and on the 6th of May next, and so on to the 27th of November, the Attorney General may commence suit for the recovery, as is provided by the act of 8th of April, 1869, of the amount of lien, with additional costs.

The memorialists say that the State ought, of course receive her fair dues, but that it is not just that after having so long slept upon her rights, she should at this late day, prosecute a suit to recover against a citizen a claim, nearly all of which is in some way composed of the accumulated interest of more than a century and a half, and in most of over a half century—a claim which in some instances exceeds the present saleable value of the land. They also say that much of this land has passed through many hands since the original warrant was issued by the State; much is owned by widows and orphans; much has been sold for taxes and is held by a county tax title, and on hundreds of tracts more money has been paid for taxes than would, with interest, amount to treble the present value of the land. And they consider that it is a grave question whether, should the land be sold under this law, the holder would not have a right to recover from the county all the back taxes he has paid.

Sale of Cadetships.

IN an article in a previous number on this question, we took occasion to remark that the investigations would not be pushed if it should be found that they would inculpate prominent or useful men in the party. Matters have turned out just as we supposed. John Covode's case was nicely covered over and the process of whitewashing will doubtless be continued, until the whole matter is dropped.

Another Rail Road.

An Act of Assembly passed during the session of 1869, authorized the construction of a Rail Road from the mouth of Hunlock's creek through the township of Huntington to the borough of Muncy. It appears the Commissioners appointed in the act, are now proposing to commence some action in this matter, of so much importance to the inhabitants of a valley extending from the north branch to the west branch of the Susquehanna river. This valley, at its narrowest part is about sixteen miles in width; is a very good agricultural country, admirably adapted for all kinds of produce, and for the raising of cattle, hogs, &c.; and is destined to become a manufacturing country, having a vast amount of water power, as well as a large number of flouring mills and saw mills, besides several other important manufacturing establishments.—There is also a large amount of lumber, which would be valuable if they had proper Rail Road facilities, but at present the inhabitants are obliged to draw their lumber, their coal, and their lime over the mountains with teams; and labor under all the inconveniences they did many years ago. There are thousands of tons of Coal hauled into this valley, that cost the inhabitants more than the same article costs the citizens of Philadelphia or New York, and thousands of bushels of lime are drawn at a great expense.

It will be seen that any number of branches to the above R. R. can be constructed, for instance, one to Bloomsburg and to the North Mountain, all under the same act of incorporation.

The undersigned Commissioners have resolved to hold a general meeting at the borough of New Columbus in Luzerne county on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1870, at which meeting all the Commissioners named in the law are respectfully requested to attend. All citizens interested are invited to participate. Several speakers will be present.

JONAS DOTY
WM. S. MONROE,
MYRON FELLOWS,
AMMI HARRISON,
JOHN KOONS.

An Act to Incorporate the Hunlock Creek & Muncy Railroad Co.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted &c., That John Koons, Myron Fellows, Nesbitt Harvey, W. S. Monroe, Ami Harrison, G. B. Nicholson, Bryce R. Blair, Ira Davenport, Geo. P. Steel, Peter Pursel and C. L. Lamberton, of Luzerne county, and Joshua Brink and Jonas Doty, of Columbia county, and A. J. Deitrick and Hugh Mongomery, of Lycoming county, or any five of them are appointed commissioners to open books, receive subscriptions and organize a company, with power to construct a railroad from near the mouth of Hunlock creek, in the county of Luzerne, through the township of Huntingdon to the borough of Muncy, in Lycoming county by the name style and title of the Hunlock Creek and Muncy railroad company, with the right to connect with the Philadelphia and Erie, the Lackawanna and and Bloomsburg railroad, or any other railroad now made or hereafter to be made within the counties of Luzerne and Lycoming with the right to build branches not exceeding ten miles in length.

SEC. 2. The capital stock of said company shall be four hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of twenty-five dollars each, one dollar on each share to be paid at the time of subscribing, the residue to be paid by instalments, as may be required by the directors, with the privilege of increasing the capital stock of said company, from time to time, to an amount sufficient to complete said road and provide the same with necessary cars, locomotives, machinery, depots, water stations and whatever is necessary to a proper construction and working of said road.

SEC. 3. That in case the president and directors of said company may deem it necessary, in order to complete and equip said road, they are authorized to borrow a sum of money not to exceed in amount the capital required, and to issue bonds therefor on the faith of the road, of not less than one hundred dollars each, at a rate of interest not to exceed seven per cent., and to be redeemed at such times as the president and directors may agree upon said bonds to be secured by mortgage upon said road, its rolling stock, real estate and franchises of the company.

SEC. 4. As soon as five miles at either end or at both ends of said road may be completed, the company shall have full power to use it as such to all intents and purposes as far as completed.

SEC. 5. That said company shall be entitled to all the privileges conferred upon and subject to all the provisions of an act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act regulating railroads" approved the nineteenth day of February, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, except so far as the provi ions of said act are hereby supplied.

Husband and Wife as Witnesses.

The Philadelphia *Ledger* says an interesting question was raised in the Nisi Prius, before Justice Read, during the progress of a trial. For the defence, Mr. Clayton called to the witness stand the wife of the defendant, claiming to examine her under the authority conferred by the act of Assembly of April, 1869. Mr. Samuel C. Perkins, for the plaintiffs, objected to the examination of the wife.

Justice Read left the Court, and after conferring with the Judges in the Supreme Court, returned and said: I have consulted my brethren in the other room, and I find that the Chief Justice, last week, admitted a husband to testify for a wife, and upon the general understanding of the Court, we think that a wife is a competent witness for the husband, and the husband a competent witness for the wife. But when put upon the staud, although she is put there by her husband, she becomes a general witness, and may be examined about anything that has relation to the case."

Specie Payments.

The financial editor of the Philadelphia *Ledger* does not think we are so near to specie payments as many people seem to imagine. He says:

The idea of the present tendency running on so as to bring us back to specie payments is simply preposterous. With only some twenty or thirty millions of gold in the Treasury which the Government can properly call its own, and $400,000,000 of demand obligations outstanding, there remains a great work of preparation before the Government can undertake specie payments. While all rejoice that the currency has so much appreciated, that does not mean a general resumption of specie payments on demand for all obligations.

Adjourned Court.

SATURDAY, March 12, 1870.

Court met. Present, Hon. Wm. Elwell, President Judge, and Isaac S. Monroe, Associate.

Order with reference to the Male and Female Seminary, continued.

Exceptions to the account of Wm. A. Case, Executor of Hester Grett, dec'd. *Fi. Fa.* ordered.

Estate of George Hower, dec'd., Petition read; citation awarded and Executor required to file his account thirty days before next term of Court.

Report of road in Benton twp. near Joel Keefer's. Exceptions not sustained. Confirmed finally.

M. T. Howell *et. al.* vs Mary E. Green. On motion of Mr. Howell rule to show cause why the entry of settlement so far as the same may effect the rights of the plaintiffs shall not be struck off.

Com. vs Hiram Brown. Indictment, desertion. Mr. Brown having been brought into Court, after hearing, is ordered discharged.

Com. vs Richard Stout. The Court direct a Habeas Corpus to be entered and defendant to be discharged from confinement having been in jail over thirty days and the fine being less than $15.

Jennie Henwood vs A. J. Evans and wife. Judgment for defendants upon the ground of demurrer.

Davis vs Brahaney. Upon payment of jury fee ordered that judgment be entered for the plaintiff upon the verdict.

Com. vs Patrick Kendrick. The Court direct a Habeas Corpus to be entered and defendant to be discharged from confinement, having been in jail over thirty days and the fine being less than $15.

Amanda Roberts vs —— Roberts. Subpœna in divorce. On motion of W. H. Abbott, Court appoint C. Margerum to take depositions on part of the plaintiff.

Hugh McReynold's use vs Beaver creek, Coal Co. On motion of J. G. Freeze rule on Jesse Coleman, late Prothonotary, to pay the money in his hands in this cause into Court.

An Act.

To regulate the election of directors of the poor for the Bloom district in Columbia county.

SECTION 1, *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same.* That on the second Tuesday of October next, and every third year thereafter at the time of township elections under general laws, the qualified electors of Bloomsburg and of the several townships, which shall have become a part of the Bloom district for the support and maintenance of the poor, shall elect three persons to be directors of the poor for said district, whose term shall commence upon the first day of April next following their election and continue for three years.

SEC. 2. In all elections of said directors whether for regular terms or to fill vacancies each voter may distribute his votes to and among candidates as he shall think fit or may bestow them all upon one candidate, and when three directors are to be chosen he may give one vote and a half to each of two candidates. In all cases the candidates, highest in vote shall be chosen. Returns of election in the several election districts shall be made to the court of quarter sessions of the peace of Columbia county, as in the case of the election of township officers and the clerk of said court, shall within ten days after an election add up the several returns filed in his office, ascertain the result of the election and transmit written notices of their election to the persons who shall appear to be chosen. The said clerk, for his services so performed shall receive the sum of one dollar for each of the persons elected; to be paid by the said directors, and to be charged among the expenditures of the district.

SEC 3. Except so far as the same are affected or changed by this act all proceedings for the choice of directors of the poor in said district, and the duties, jurisdiction and powers of said directors shall continue to be according to the provisions of the act of twelfth March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, authorizing the erection of a poor house by the township of Bloom, in the county of Columbia, and of the acts therein recited and applied to said district, *Provided* that whenever a single vacancy shall occur or exist in said board of directors the court of quarter sessions of the peace of Columbia county shall fill the same for the whole remaining part of the unexpired term in question by appointing some fit and competent person from among the electors of said poor district who shall have voted for the director whose place is to be filled.

WHAT a satire upon the Republican party is the petition of the disabled soldiers who grind hand-organs for the removal of the "onerous tax" imposed upon their means of livelihood! That these helpless veterans, who have sacrificed their limbs for their country and whom their country refuses to take care of in their days of distress, should be compelled to pay tax upon their nickel income from grinding "Shoo-Fly" or "Nelly Bly," is a circumstance that throws discredit upon the cause for which they offered their lives. Let a double or treble tax be imposed upon the Italian hand-organists, who incite neither our sentiments nor our sympathy; but let the heroes of the "war for The Union," who delight our souls with the melodies of America, be relieved from the burden of the national debt while grinding out their existence.

Latest News.

MADRID, March. 12.—A duel between the Duke de Montpensier and Prince Henry de Bourbon occurred this morning, the latter being killed. The seconds of Montpensier were Generals Cordova and Alaminor, and those of the Prince were Senor Rubio and another, name unknown, both Republican deputies in the Constituent Cortes. The affair has created great excitement here.

CHICAGO, Ill. March. 14.—In Melton township, Wayne County, Ohio, on Saturday, the boiler of a portable saw-mill exploded, killing Jacob Knapp, Robert and Frank Mc Connell, John Fritz, David Shoock and two men named Hoover.

WASHINGTON, March. 14.—Judge William Strong, of Philidelphia, qualified to-day, and took his seat as one of the associate justices on the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States.

An old Binghamton Teacher—Our Schools of Former Days.

What pleasant recollections flit tho' manhood's memory when thoughts of childhood's happy schoolboy-days are brought vividly to mind. The kindness and faithful watching of a good teacher can never be forgotten. The joyous sports with favorite schoolmates will oft be dwelt on with feelings of longing for a return of those innocent, happy times. The meritorious rivalry of schools, of classes and studious members of classes to outstrip each other, brings to mind the happiness one felt when school was brought to a close, in knowing that the lessons had been recited correctly, and some "bigger" boy had been obliged to take a seat below you in the class. What innocent pride and joy was that of the faithful student who, at the close of the term, when parents and friends gathered in the pleasant school-room, to listen to the general examination of the classes, and note the improvement of their young, to have the generous teacher speak your praise for good conduct, correct lessons, and close by bestowing upon you a gift for superior excellence in deportment or some branch of study. O, well we know how the bright, faithful scholar looked forward to that day; sometimes with fears, doubts and hopes. Such a student could always enjoy the vacation time with a double relish, knowing that he was respected by his teacher, and had endeared himself still more to anxious parents.

These thoughts, and many more, are brought to mind by noticing in an exchange the anniversary exercises of the Normal School, at Bloomsburg, Pa., Feb. 22d, one of the most renowned and successful educational institutions in Pennsylvania, of which our respected friend and kindly remembered teacher, Prof. Henry Carver, is principal. With a man of such superior abilities as Mr. Carver at the head of the institution, it is not to be wondered at that the school is so renowned. A better disciplinarian more correct reader of human nature, finer scholar, and successful teacher we never knew. In the gradation of classes he was wonderfully successful. All of these qualities are very necessary in the make up of the teacher, but many of them, we are sorry to say, are too often lacking. A poor disciplinarian, we care not how good an education he may have, is not fit to have charge of a school. An inability to read human nature correctly, is another sure indication of a person's unfitness to teach children. It is unnecessary for us at this time to reason the question why such persons are unfit for so important a trust, for all who have had experience with children will admit it.

At the close of the exercises of the Normal School, a beautiful gold watch and chain were presented to Prof. Carver in behalf of the students. Their beloved teacher was greatly surprised and deeply affected by this token of respect, and for some time was unable to reply. How vividly this brings to our minds similar happy occasions with the same beloved teacher, in the palmy days of the school house which still stands on Oak street. When he took charge of that school, it was a disgrace to civilization, and was attended by a class of roughs that no teacher dare chide. The moment Prof. Carver became principal a miraculous change took place. By moral suasion, appealing to the pride and manhood of the scholars, kindly advice, reasoning with the obdurate, instead of compelling obedience on the least occasion by the use of a club, he brought order out of chaos, and built up a model school. Every other means was used to command obedience before the whip, which was seldom necessary. The scholars all learned to love that teacher, and felt a pride in obeying him. Some of those, we remembered, who had been given up as hopelessly bad and disobedient, became some of the brightest and best behaved scholars in school. Most of the faithful students of that school are now worthy and prominent men of this and other cities.

With all due respect for our present schools, we cannot help but remark here, that Binghamton never had better schools than at that time. Larger places took a pride then in holding up the Binghamton schools as an example worthy to be patterned after.

We have allowed this article to fill more space than we intended, but those glorious days, when we had the pleasure of attending Prof. Carver's school, bring up so many pleasant recollections that we love to dwell on them. We wish you success and every blessing, good and kind teacher. May your lines always be cast in pleasant places, and an eternity of peace and happiness be the reward of a life well spent in moulding and elevating the minds and hearts of others.—*Democratic Leader.*

Communication.

LETTER FROM WENDELL PHILLIPS, ESQ. TO REV. DR. HODGSON.

March, 7th. 1870.

Dear Sir:—Hearing that our change of my lecture, from the one announced to the Lost Arts, has been objected to, and some fault found with yourself in consequence, I desire to say to your townsmen, that the fault, if any, belongs entirely to me. I first proposed the change and urged it—thinking—mistakenly—that the latter subject would better satisfy the audience.

You yielded very slowly and somewhat reluctantly, so far as to consent to submit the question to the audience—adding that if any two or three should object we would adhere to the programme as announced. The responsibility of the change rests wholly on me. Indeed, at the very last moment, in the pulpit, you left the decision entirely to myself.

Regretting to have unwittingly occasioned you any unpleasant criticism.

Believe me very respectfully Yours,
WENDELL PHILLIPS.

Rev. Dr. Francis Hodgson.

"HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,—BILLS INTRODUCED AND REFERRED.—By Mr. Cox to pension indignant officers and soldiers of the war of 1812."—*Scranton Republican.*

And very proper it is, to be sure, for those veterans to be indignant at having their pensions withheld for so long a time, and we are very glad to know that the indignation of the venerable men has been made known to Congress and to the people. They must be greatly out of temper, justifiably so, and we trust their claims may receive prompt and favorable attention.

The Admission of Revels.

The negro Revels has been admitted into the Senate of the United States by a strict party vote, every Republican voting for him and every Democrat against him. In vain did Democratic Senators ask that the case might be referred to a committee for investigation. The Radicals knew very well that such a subject would not bear much handling. Having taken the stand the party now occupies they were compelled to admit Revels to his seat, or to go back upon the professions they have been making for some years past.

Revels is a black carpet-bagger, and his past history has been far from being a reputable one. He was once pastor of a negro Church in Leavenworth, Kansas. One of the leading members of the congregation accused him of embezzling the Church funds, whereupon Rev. Revels sued the brother for libel; but a jury found a verdict of *not guilty.* The following card, signed by one-half the jury has been republished lately:

"LEAVENWORTH, Aug. 27. 1867.

"We, the undersigned, were jurymen in the case of the State of Kansas vs. John H. Morris, in which one Hiram R. Revels was complaining witness. Said suit was instituted by the said Revels in the form of a criminal prosecution, for an alleged libel in charging the said Revels with embezzling the funds of his church; with falsehood and hypocrisy, in a certain phamphlet entitled 'A Humbug.'

"The defendant (Morris) took the ground that the alleged libel was true, and proved to our satisfaction that the said Hiram R. Revels had embezzled certain funds belonging to his church, and had been guilty of falsehood, and had unnecessarily forced a quarrel on the said Morris, thus compelling him to act in vindication of his own character.

"In short, we found that the alleged libel was true, and that it was published for good motives and justifiable ends, all of which it was necessary to prove to secure an acquittal in a suit for libel.

"E. M. RANKIN, Foreman;
"JAMES CURRAN,
"ABEL ARMSTRONG,
"A. L. RUSHMORE,
"H. MARKSON,
J. B. FLUNO."

This fellow Revels will prove to be a fit companion for certain white Radical Senators, who have made immense fortunes by selling themselves to rings and lobbyists of every description. We do not wonder the black, Reverend thief was cordially welcomed by them. —*Ex.*

Legislature.

SENATE.

HARRISBURG, FRIDAY, March. 12.—Mr. Mumma moved the reconsideration of the resolution reported by the Finance Committee yesterday, and passed by the Senate, requiring General Irwin to appear before the bar of the Senate. Mr. Mumma explained that, after due consideration, he had come to the conclusion that the Senate had no right to arrest Mr. Irwin.

The motion to reconsideration was agreed to; yeas 19 nays 10.

HOUSE.

The House bill for the relief of the sufferers by the border raids, was reported favorably.

SENATE.

FRIDAY, March. 11.—The Finance Committee made a report relative to the Treasury investigation, and a resolution was adopted requiring General Irwin to testify before said committee. Among the bills introduced was one making education compulsory.

HOUSE.

The committee appointed to investigate and report whether any corrupt influences had been used relative to the Metropolitan Police bill, was on motion discharged. Among the bills passed was one urging Congress to accord belligerent rights to Cuba. Also, one authorizing proceedings to be commenced against railroad or telegraph companies constructing lines in this State without authority.

Congressional.

THURSDAY, March. 10.—In the Senate, yesterday, a resolution was introduced, declaring the conduct of the Spanish in Cuba as cruel, inhuman and barabrous. The Funding bill was debated until adjournment.

In the House petitions were presented from Pennsylvania laboring men against any change in the general tariff as suggested by the Free Trade League, and for reduction of the duty on necessary articles not produced in this country.

FRIDAY, March. 11.—In the Senate, yesterday. The debate on the Funding bill was the discussion of the day.

In the House, immediately upon the expiration of the morning hour, the bill providing for a reduction and reorganization of the army was taken up, and the debate upon it occupied the remainder of the session.

SATURDAY, March. 12.—In the Senate, yesterday, the Georgia bill was made the order of business, as soon as the Funding bill was disposed of.

The Funding bill debate was then resumed. Various amendments were offered, one by Mr. Sherman to the second section, extending the time in which the four and a half bonds should be paid from thirty to forty years, was agreed to, and another by Mr. Howe to section ten, authorizing banks to be organized on a capital of $50,000 instead of $100,000. The bill was then passed by a vote of 32 to 10.

In the House the Tariff and Deficiency bills occupied the session.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, March. 15.—Nothing important was done in the Senate.

HOUSE.

A resolution was passed to pay to the widow and children of Edward M. Stanton the sum to which he would have been entitled as associate justice of the United States Supreme Court for one year.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, WEDNESDAY, March. 16.—On motion of Mr. Wilson, the House joint resolution appropriating to the widow of the late E. M. Stanton, a sum equal to one year's salary of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States was taken up and passed. The Indian bill and Georgia bill were discussed.

HOUSE.

The funding bill was referred to the Committee of Ways and Means. The bill to admit Texas on same conditions as Virginia was passed yeas 131, nays 45.

A heavy snow storm prevailed on Tuesday, throughout Illinois, Minnesota and Wisconsin, and probably other Western States.

News Items.

—Alaska has 200 legal voters.

—Representative Cox weighs less than 100 pounds.

—Dickens will soon give a series of lectures in Paris.

—Mark Twain married about $80,000 with his wife.

—The women in Bristol, Tenn., take their knitting to church.

—A Montreal lad of fifteen has married his brother's mother-in-law of fifty.

—In Los Angelos county, California., one thousand horses were lately sold at $5 per head.

—One of the commonest proofs we have that man is made of clay, *is the brick so often found in his hat!*

—A little girl thought the minister wanted some office, because he kept saying, "Grant we beseech thee."

—A man living in Lafayette, Indiana, claims, to have wound up an eight-day clock every night for seventeen years.

—An English coast-steamer lately burned one hundred pigs in order to get into port, having exhausted her coal.

—There is one word of only five letters, and if you take away two of them ten will remain. What word is that? It is often.

—A fellow nearly beat his wife to death the other day, in Passaic, for disappointing him in regard to the sex of a little stranger.

—William McCoy, of Toronto, thoughtlessly loaded his pipe with a cartridge last Monday, and now he mourns the loss of his nose.

—A story is told of a young man who was going West to open a jewelry store. When asked what capital he had, he replied, "A crowbar."

—An Irishman, eating his first green corn, handed the cob to the waiter, and asked, "Will ye's plase put some more banes upon me sthick?"

—A "presentiment" led a Chicago alderman to insure his life before starting for San Francisco, and he wasn't disappointed. His wife gets $5000.

—The Louisville Journal hopes there will be a strong effort made to find out who is the author of "Shoo Fly," and that then somebody will shoot him.

A St. Louis husband had his suspicions aroused by catching his wife holding chloroform to his nose when he pretended sleep. She has gone to visit her mother.

—Take away my first letter, take away my second letter, take away all my letters, and I am always the same. Can you guess that? It is the mail carrier.

—A young man wants a situation where the only heavy thing is the salary. He is willing to dispense with any amount of work if this can be guaranteed.

—A Missouri gentleman carries about with him a memento of a lost brother in the shape of a cane cut from the tree on which that relative was hanged for horse stealing.

—"Koshpoppy" is said to be the specific Indian appellation for ten cents. From the same etymon, "poppycock" is probably the aboriginal generic term for paper currency.

—According to the latest statistics, Englishmen are about two inches taller and more than seven pounds lighter than Americans of the same age and similar pursuits.

—A trial in an English court is thus described by a Chinaman: "One man is quite silent, another talks all the time, and twelve wise men condemn the man who has not said a word."

—A Wisconsin youth, sued for a breach of promise, offered to compromise, by marrying the girl, if the Court would protect him from several other girls who had the same tender claims upon him.

—A man and his wife slept a few nights ago in a newly painted room, in Brooklyn, N. Y. The next morning the man was found dead, and the woman unconscious, it was supposed from inhaling the gas of the new paint.

—An Allentown paper says that a prisoner in jail there has since his incarceration in April last, read his Bible through twenty-three times successively. He couldn't find more profitable amusement.

—A man by the name of Walbridge fell dead at Bangor, Me., the other day, from actual bursting of the heart. A *post mortem* examination disclosed a rent in the heart two inches long, caused by engorgement of blood.

—Indianapolis never had so much sickness as during the recent session of the State Teachers' Association at that place. Of 37 families called upon 30 "would like to accommodate and would do so but for sickness in the house."

—A member of the Wyoming Legislature seeking to sustain a point of order, jerked his coat off, with, "Mr. Speaker, if some reliable man will hold these duds, I'll teach him that he is out of order." The point was sustained.

—There is unadulterated human nature in this letter of a New Jerseyman to his represenative in Congress: "Deer sur, Please send me a copy of the Agricultiral report and then abolish the franking privilege."

—There is a girl in New Hampshire whose daily life is blessed by the living presence of her father and mother, two grandfathers and two grandmothers, three great-gradfathers and four great-grandmothers, and one great-great-grandmother.

—A correspondent of the Bangor (Me.) *Whig*, who has kept a daily record of the weather for forty years, says that January just past has been the mildest for the past forty years. The average temperature of the month has been 20 degrees above zero.

—A diffident lover went to the Town Clerk to request him to publish the bans of matrimony, and finding him at work alone in the middle of a ten-acre field, asked him "to step aside a moment, as he had something particular for his private ear."

—A Pennsylvania cemetery contains seven graves side by side, in which repose the lifeless remains of a man and his six wives. When his first wife died the third was three years old and the fifth an infant of twelve months, while the last wife was not born until the year following the death of the first.

—A miscegenial dinner party was given to Senator Revels on Tuesday last, by the chocolate cream of Washington society. The company was, on the whole, exceedingly select, the only white trash present being Messrs. Wilson, of Massachusetts; Harris, of Louisiana; Kelley, of Pennsylvania; Ames, of Mississippi; and Cook, of Washington.

—Commodore Vanderbilt refuses to make a will. He desires that his youthful wife shall have her full legal share of his property. She will be heir therefore, when he dies, to some $23,000,000.

—A polecat got out of his cage in New York the other evening and scampered up Broadway. A policeman, mistaking the animal for a squirrel, gave chase and captured him. The M. P. went home and buried a new uniform worth $50, in the yard.

—A young lady in New Harmony Indiana, boasts of twenty-seven matrimonial engagements fractured by her in five years. She has a long string of engagement rings hanging up in her boudoir, and points to them with a feeling of pride akin to that which animates the breast of a "noble red man" when he shows off his collection of scalps.

MARRIAGES.

MCEWEN—MEIXEL.—In Lewisburg, Pa., on the 10th inst., by Rev. Mr. Benkhalter, Mr. Geo. McEwen, formerly of Col. co., to Miss Mary E. Meixel of Lewisburg.

DEATHS.

JOHNSON—In Light Street, on Jan 25th 1870, Annie Lizzie, daugher of G. W. and Phoebe Johnson, aged 4 years, 11 months and 23 days.

JOHNSON—In Light Street, on Jan. 28th, Hattie daughter of G. W. and Phoebe Johnson, aged 2 years and 21 days.

JOHNSON—In Light Street, on Feb. 20th, Mary Ida, daughter of G. W. and Phoebe Johnson, aged 7 years, 5 months and 24 days.

MARKS—At Slabtown, on the 28th inst., William Marks, aged 24 years, 3 months and 2 days.

VANDERSLICE—On the 12th inst., of scarlet fever, Jennie, daughter of Charles M. and Kate S. Vanderslice, aged 6 months and 13 days.

In the lonely quiet chamber
There's an empty cradle-bed,
With a print upon the pillow
Of a baby's shining head.
'Tis a fair and dainty cradle;
Downy soft the pillows white;
But within the blankets folded
Lies no little form to-night.

Once the mother sat beside it,
When the day was growing dim,
And her pleasant voice was singing
Soft and low a cradle hymn.
Now there's no more need of singing,
When the evening shadows creep,
For the cradle-bed is empty
And the baby gone to sleep.

Little head that used to nestle
In the pillows white and soft;
Little hands, whose restless fingers
Folded there in dreams so oft;
Lips we pressed with warmest kiss—
Eyes we praised for purest ray—
Underneath the snow and ice
They have hid you all away.

Ah! the empty, useless cradle!
We will put it out of sight,
Lest our hearts should grieve too sorely
For the little one to-night.
We will think how safe forever
In the better fold above,
That young lamb for which we sorrow
Resteth now in Jesus' love.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GENUINE "RAMSDELL NOR-WAY OATS"

Warranted to be from seed purchased by me from the Originator "D. W. Ramsdell," Chelsea, Vt. Price, 4 Bushels $10; 1 Bushel $4, and post paid 5 pounds $1, 1 quart 25 cents. Sow one bushel to the acre.

H. H. BROWN,
mar18'70-3t. Light Street, Pa.

TRUSTEES' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that George Hartman of Hemlock township, Columbia county, has conveyed his real estate situated in said township, to the undersigned in trust for the purposes in the deed of trust named. All persons indebted to the said George Hartman will make payment to the said Trustees; and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay, to them at Buckhorn, Columbia county, Pa.

AMOS B. HARTMAN } Trustees.
WILLIAM M. HARTMAN }
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NOTICE.

The public are hereby cautioned not to purchase or negotiate two promissory notes drawn by the undersigned in favor of J. Wesley Yohe, as no value has been received therefor. The notes are for seventy-five dollars each, dated February 28th, 1870, and are payable, one, six months after date with interest therefrom, the other, eight months after date with interest therefrom. ZACHARIAH KRAMER,
Beaver Valley, March 18, 1870-3t. JOHN H. DAVIS.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JACOB GEARHART DEC'D.

The undersigned, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Auditor to make distribution among creditors of the estate of Jacob Gearhart late of Orange twp, Columbia county dec'd, will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Bloomsburg, on Monday, the 18th day of April 1870, at 10 o'clock, A. M. All persons having claims on said estate are required to attend or be forever debarred from coming in for a part of said fund.

E. H. LITTLE,
mar18'70-4w. Auditor.

EARLY ROSE POTATOES,

THE GREAT TOPIC OF THE DAY.

The subscriber has a limited supply of the Early Rose Potato, which he will sell to those wishing to procure this excellent variety, at the low rate of Two Dollars per bushel. He has, also, twenty of the Best Varieties of

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CALENDAR FOR 1870:—Spring session begins April 4th, 1870 and continues 13 weeks, following which there will be a vacation of six weeks. Fall term commences August 15, 1870, continuing 14 weeks. Winter term opens November 7, 1870 continuing 14 weeks.

EXPENSES:—Board can be obtained in private families at from $2.50 to $4.00 per week, or desirable rooms will be furnished to students wishing to provide for themselves.

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The Columbian.

Bloomsburg, Friday, March 18, 1870.

REV. A. M. WYLIE, formerly of Bloomsburg will be at the Sabbath School Convention in Bloomsburg next week.

SPECIE PAYMENTS.—The Gilmore Brothers have created a sensation in town, by resuming Specie payments at their Saloon, under Brower's Building.

MAD DOGS.—From all parts of the country the report comes of mad dogs. The best way to prevent the evil is to kill the dogs before they have a chance to get mad.

THE word "bill" cannot be applied to a legislative measure after it has become a law. The name of our statute therefore the "Bloomsburg *Act*."

IN making up our forms last week, a Communication of "W. W. E." got disarranged, and several lines are out of place. We make the announcement in justice to our correspondent.

MANY of our citizens have removed to the South and West, and others are preparing to go. We fear many of them are leaving comfortable homes without proper reflection as to the results.

THERE are over six hundred applications for admission into the soldiers' orphans' schools on file in Superintendent M'Farland's office. Favorable action on them, it is said, is precluded for want of funds. In February twenty applications were received.

MASONIC.—A charter for a Masonic Lodge has been granted our Berwick friends. They have named it "C. F. Hupp Lodge," in honor of our townsman, the D. D. G. M. Its number is 399. It starts out with the brightest prospects of success.

NEW TELEGRAPH OFFICE.—The new office at Miss A. D. Webb's book store has been put in order and messages may now be sent. This will prove a most convenient matter for those of our citizens whose business compels them to use the telegraph, as heretofore the long walk to the R. R. Station has proved a serious annoyance.

ALL persons who can entertain delegates to the S. S. Convention are requested to communicate with J. B. Robison, on or before next Monday.

Delegates will immediately on their arrival report to J. B. Robison, or to Prof. J. Schuyler Secretary. Ministers of the different churches are requested to read this notice from their pulpits.

By order of the Executive Committee.

CONSTELLATIONS OF PLANETS.—The planet Venus, which has recently officiated as evening star, will be visible in the morning for the rest of the year. Jupiter is visible in the evening, being about six hours east of the sun. It will continue an evening star till May 1. Saturn will begin to be visible in the morning about May 1, and will then continue an evening star for the rest of the year.

ALL IN THE FAMILY.—The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that deeds given for the purpose of transferring the title to land from husband to wife, through the intervention of a trustee, with merely a nominal consideration, require only a five cent stamp each, as agreements or contracts specially designated in stamp schedule "B." They do not require a conveyance stamp, as really it is not sold.

MODELS for the new fifty cent notes have been completed. The size is the same as the old ones. A vignette of the late E. M. Stanton, pronounced a most excellent likeness, and executed by one of the best engravers in the United States, will ornament the left end of the note. The other end, for the space of which, will remain blank, for the purpose of showing the localized silk fibre, which will be so introduced as to make a distinctive feature in the bill.

SCARLET FEVER.—This dreaded disease, which proved so fatal in this neighborhood, is now raging along the Susquehanna. We learn that Lowry Hess, of Berton township buried his two children, on Saturday last, who died from the effects of it, and on the next day Abraham Golder buried two of his children, and the remaining five were prostrated by it. In this place three children of John Himilier's children have died recently from the same cause, and the disease is still raging dangerously ill. It has been a terrible scourge indeed, and has made many a home desolate.

THE RECENT STORM.—The snow storm which lately visited our county is called as well throughout the country, being very severe both in the New England States and in the North West. The roofs of two wings of the Tremont House in Chicago fell from the weight of the snow. Intense cold accompanied the storm.

The ice crop promises to be a large one. Some idea of the quantity procured may be gathered from the fact that 50 tons have been already cut in Rhinebeck, N. Y. Large amounts have also been cut in the Eastern States.

SMART.—For several years past the enterprising publishers of the *Republican* have copied our record of Court Proceedings without credit, not having the excellent enterprise to procure them otherwise. An adjourned Court was held on Saturday last,—several cases acted on—and for once *The Republican* concluded to give a synopsis of them to its readers. Among them the following:

Lewis vs. Brockway. Judgment entered for plaintiff, upon verdict." No such case appears on the record. We are charitable enough to suppose that the statement was made through ignorance and not with the intention of injuring our credit.

NATURALIZED.—Every naturalized citizen now entitled to his naturalization papers should at once take them out. The naturalization obstruction now being pushed through Congress with all possible speed, and as soon as it becomes a law every foreigner not a citizen will be placed by its provisions in the position of one who had immigrated to the country. He would have resided here a score of years, and may have declared his intentions, but the law of Congress will require him to renew his declarations in a *United States Court*, and live here *five years* before he can become a citizen. Those entitled to their papers attend to the matter without a moment's delay.

THE RECENT STORM.—The snow storm which lately visited our county is called as well throughout the country, being very severe both in the New England States and in the North West. The roofs of two wings of the Tremont House in Chicago fell from the weight of the snow. Intense cold accompanied the storm.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The Convention of those interested in the S. S. Cause is called to the announcement of the coming Convention of the Columbia County S. S. Association. Its sessions will commence on the 22d inst. and continue three days.

There is opportunity for so much work in our County. So many children are growing up in ignorance and vice, and the Sabbath School alone can reach them, that special effort should be made to organize and utilize more fully the means at the disposal of Christians. We want to have an organization so efficient that every out of the way corner in the County could be reached. How can this be done? How can we save those who will surely be ruined, unless rescued by the efforts of Christians? All must wish this done and are willing to come to the Convention; and let the work be begun this year. Especially do we wish Schools urged to send delegates as large as possible.

DON'T.—A green correspondent of the *Republican*, says; "I claim that a man that *deserts* his country in her time of need has no claim to her protecting Laws."

How about Grant's appointing the rebel Gen. Longstreet, to one of the best offices in the Union.

THE VERY LATEST.—Lowenberg has just returned from New York with a brilliant assortment of goods, purchased during the recent fall in gold, which he is prepared to offer at most reasonable rates. His stock is a complete one and will challenge competition with any in this part of the State. Call and see the goods at an early moment.

MEAN.—To lug into a newspaper the private business transactions of individuals as is done by the *Republican*. Suppose Mr. Brickbaum was swindled out of $7.00, it does not follow that it should be heralded all over the country, with the intimation that he will probably make it up out of the County Treasury.

THE pretty verses which appeared in the Bloomsburg *Republican* of last week over the signature of Mattie we are glad to know are of home manufacture, having heretofore been under the impression that they were imported from England: in short, as Mr. Micawber would say, Mrs. Southey wrote them, they being found in her poem entitled "The death of an Infant."—*Miltonian.*

R. R. ACCIDENT.—An accident happened near Berwick, on the L. & B. R. R. at about eleven o'clock Monday night, by which three or four loaded coal cars and a caboose, were smashed and an engine badly damaged. The cause was the breaking loose of the cars from the end of the trains, and they were run into by a train following. The engineer and fireman were saved by jumping from the engine and rolling into the canal. Fortunately no lives were lost.

A FRESH START.—We are pleased to learn that M. P. Lutz whose stock of fancy goods was destroyed in the Exchange Hotel fire, has leased the store and purchased the stock of J. J. Brower, in the new building adjoining the Court House.

We wish him all success, for he has shown himself an enterprising and energetic man of business and deserving of support and sympathy.

BLOOMSBURG ACT—ERRATA.—SEC. 3—Thirteenth line from end, the word "officer" should read "*officers*."

SEC. 7:—Eighth line from end strike out "*exceptions*," and insert "*executions*."

SEC. 9:—Eleventh line strike out "*and*" where it first occurs in the line.

SEC. 9:—Third line from end strike out "district" and insert "*distinct*."

SEC. 9:—Second line from end strike out "vote" and insert "*rate*."

WHAT THE FALL IN GOLD DOES NOT DO.—The decline in the wholesale prices of many articles since gold was over 200 has been great, but the decline for articles of daily household consumption is very slight, while rents keep up as near the figures of three years ago as they can be held. There would seem to be no reason that while gold has declined 100 per cent., meat and butter, lard and coffee, and so many other articles of daily consumption should not have fallen 20 per cent. from what they were in 1864. Is it not about time there was an appreciable reduction in some of these articles?

AMONG the "Hotel Arrivals" this week will be found the names of our old friends and neighbors J. J. Brower, L. T. Sharpless and Thomas J. Morris, Esq., from Bloomsburg, Pa. They spent some time in prospecting, both in town and country, and with the most favorable results. Mr. Brower has decided to embark in the Brick making business here, and is making arrangements to open a Yard at once. He is a gentleman of busines activity and enterprise. Esquire Morris has purchased the "Morris Farm"—a singular co-incidence—situated on Little River in the South Eastern portion of the county. It is a beautiful farm and contains two hundred acres.—*North Carolinian.*

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias refused to incorporate into the organization of the Knights of Pythias the two new degrees that have occasioned so much discussion among the fraternity

The following officers were elected for two years:

Supreme Venerable Patriarch, Wilbur H. Myers, of Pennsylvania; Supreme Chancellor, Samuel Read, of New Jersey; Supreme Vice-Chancellor, —Russell, of Ohio; Supreme Recording and Corresponding Scribe, Clarence M. Barton, of Washington, D. C.; Supreme Banker, Wm. A. Porter, of Pennsylvania; Supreme Guide, John Comstock, of Connecticut; Supreme Inner Steward, Dr. L. C. Lloyd, of Kentucky; Supreme Outer Steward, David Crager, of Nebraska.

REGULATING THE INTERMENT OF PERSONS.—There is a bill before the legislature to prevent premature interments by requiring forty-eight hours at least to elapse after the supposed death of a person before depositing the body in the grave. A law like this might operate very well if provision were made for the earlier interment of persons dying from infectious diseases, the retention of whose corpses for the time prescribed in the bill in question might entail sickness on the living. Another improvement might be made by inserting a clause prohibiting undertakers from putting bodies of persons supposed to be dead in ice before a proper time intervenes. When we consider the universality of this practice, and how hurriedly it is frequently resorted to, there is grave reason for doubt in some cases, where animation was merely suspended, whether the life was not frozen out of the unfortunate being by the carelessness of the undertaker. The new law would be judicious if it would prohibit these freezing appliances until the signs of partial decomposition plainly proved that the spirit had fled, and if it excepted persons dying of contagious diseases.

PUBLIC SALES:—Bills for the sale of real and personal property have been printed at this office, viz:

Koons & Clark, Bloomsburg, Saturday March 19th, lot of Manure.

Mary E. Green, Scott township, Thursday, March 24th, personal property.

Estate of John P. Kluge, dec'd, Bloomsburg, Thursday, March 24th, personal property.

D. R. Appleman, Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday, March 29th, personal property.

Estate of John T. Evans, dec'd., Fishingcreek twp., Saturday, March 26th, personal property.

Z. S. Robbins, Hemlock twp, Tuesday, March 22d, personal property.

Estate of David W. Clark, deceased, Montour, Friday, March 18th, real estate.

Estate of Benj. Lowe, dec'd., Montour, Saturday, March 19th, real estate.

Estate of Cyrus Fry, dec'd., Bloomsburg, Saturday, March 19th, real estate.

Estate of H. H. Fritz, dec'd., Sugarloaf, Saturday, March 19th, real estate.

A. J. Berninger, Mainville, Friday, March 25th, personal property.

Estate of Benj. Boone, Orange, Saturday, March 26th, real estate.

A. K. Shuman, Mainville, Wednesday, March 30th, personal property.

Wm. Longenberger, Maine, March, —personal property.

Isaiah Hagenbuch, Bloomsburg, Saturday, March 19th, stoves, tinware, &c.

Henry J. Edwards, Bloom township, Friday, March 25th, personal property.

Estate of Eli Creveling, dec'd., Scott township, Saturday, March 26th, real estate.

NOTICE.—Elder J. J. Harvey of the Christian Church will preach in the Hall of the Columbia House this (Friday) evening at half past seven. A cordial invitation is hereby extended to the public to attend.

NEW SUBSCRIBERS.—We return our thanks to those of our friends who have been active in sending us the names or new subscribers during the present month. There is ample room for much more labor in the same field. *Two thousand Democrats of Columbia County do not take their local paper*, while the Republicans are a unit in the support of theirs. And these very men who contribute nothing towards the support of the party, nor aid in disseminating its principles, are the very ones who complain most about the misrule of the opposition and the necessity of reform. It is certain that the Republicans throw all the patronage in their power to their own organ; they manipulate our Lodges, our Saving Funds, and other public institutions, even when in the minority, when the work could be done better and cheaper at another office. There is no pretense that the COLUMBIAN does not deserve support. We think it is generally conceded that we publish one of the best local papers in the State; certainly far better than any of its predecessors.

What we have said does not arise from any *loss* in patronage; our subscription list is as large as ever, and our job-work increasing, but neither are what they should be in a County which is two-thirds Democratic.

LOCAL NOTICES.

READ Maize's advertisement this week.

SHOO FLY!—New Songs, Music of all kinds and Instruments at Alstatt's Court House Alley.

THE next term of Third Street Graded School will commence April the 4th, by n10-3t*. E. W. WYNKOOP & Co.

FOR SALE.—A new Spring Wagon and double set of tug harness, can be bought at a low figure. Apply to Isaiah Hagenbuch, Main Street opposite Forks Hotel. n9 2t

NOTICE.—By divine permission Elder J. J. Harvy of the Christian Church will preach at the Court House in Bloomsburg on Thursday Evening March 10. Services commence at half past seven. The Public are respectfully invited to attend. n9 2t.

THE farmers who have used Sharpless & Harman's Iron Beam plow acknowledge it to be the best manufactured in this section of the country. Farmers would do well to examine them before purchasing elsewhere. n11-3t*.

LOOK HERE READER, we do not wish to tell you that consumption can be cured when the lungs are half consumed, nor that Dr. Wonderful, or any other fellow, has discovered a remedy that will make men live forever, and leave death to play for want of work. No, you have heard enough of that, and we do not wonder that you have by this time become disgusted with it. But when we tell you that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy *will positively cure the worst cases of Catarrh*, we only assert that which thousands can testify to. Try it and you will be convinced.

Sent by mail for sixty cents. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by most Druggists everywhere.

Bloomsburg Market Report.

Wheat per bushel	$1.15
Rye "	1 10
Corn "	85
Oats "	45
Flour per barrel	7 00
Cloverseed	8 00
Flaxseed	2 15
Butter	30
Eggs	25
Tallow	10
Lard	12
Dried Apples	2 50
Hams	18
Sides and Shoulders	15
Lard per pound	20
Hay per ton	18 00
Iron—	
No. 1 Scotch pig	42
No. 2 "	36
Sibling "	29

LUMBER.

Hemlock Boards per thousand feet	$18 00
Pine " " (one inch)	18 00
Joist, Scantling, Plank, (Hemlock)	15 00
Shingles, No. 1 per thousand	3 00
" No. 2 "	2 50
Siding " "	18 00

Philadelphia Markets.

FLOUR—		
Northwestern superfine	$4 75@	5 00
Northwestern extra	5 50@	6 75
Northwestern family	@	6 75
Pennsylvania and Western superfine	5 00@	5 25
Pennsylvania and Western extra	5 50@	6 00
Pennsylvania and Western family	6 00@	7 50
Pennsylvania and Western fancy	7 50@	8 25
WHEAT—Pennsylvania red, per bush	$1 60@	1 65
Southern "	2 50@	2 75
California "	@	5 00
" white "	$1 50@	1 55
RYE—Pennsylvania, per bush	$1 00@	1 01
CORN—Yellow "	$1 03	
White "	$1 02@	1 05
OATS—Per bush	62@	64
PROVISIONS—Mess Pork, per bbl		$21 50
Mess Beef "		21 50
Dressed Hogs, per hundred	9 @	9 3/4
Smoked Hams "	16@	17
" Shoulders "		12
Lard "	17@	17 3/4
SEEDS—Clover, per bush	9 @	9 1/2
Timothy, "	4 @	4 75
Flaxseed "		$2 55
CATTLE—Beef Cattle per hundred	$6 @	7 50
Cows, per head	$ @	$
SHEEP—per lb	@	
HOGS—per 100 lbs	$11 @	11 50

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PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pa., on SATURDAY, March 26th, 1870, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Thomas Creveling, Jr., administrator, &c., of Eli Creveling, late of Scott township, in said county, deceased, will expose to public sale, on the premises, the following described real estate, to wit: all that certain

LIMESTONE QUARRY,

situate in the township and county aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a corner and on line of N. S. Campbell, thence along said line north twenty-four and one-quarter degrees west —— perches to lands of Aaron Boone, thence by land of said Boone westwardly five perches to line of Jesse W. Merrill, thence by said land south twenty-four and one-quarter degrees east —— perches to a corner and on land of the said Jesse W. Merrill, thence by said land eastwardly five perches to the place of beginning, containing

ONE ACRE,

more or less. Also the undivided one-half of all that certain Limestone Quarry, situate in the township and county aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: On the east by land late of said deceased, on the north by land of Aaron Boone, on the west by late W. Charles Lee, and Peter Reitz, and on the south by land of Jesse W. Merrill, containing three-fourths of an acre, more or less, excepting and reserving unto Jesse W. Merrill, the heirs and assigns, the right of road on said premises on the east side of the same, running south from the Railroad to other lands of said Jesse W. Merrill. Also, all that certain piece of ground or

WHARF LOT,

situate in the township and county aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner on bridge, thence by the same southwardly five perches to the north bank of the Pennsylvania Canal, thence along said canal westwardly eight perches to a corner on land of Jesse W. Merrill, thence by said land northwardly five perches to land of Fowler & Creveling, thence by said land eastwardly eight perches to the place of beginning, containing forty square perches.

W. H. ENT, Clerk.

☞ CONDITIONS OF SALE:—The dower of the widow to remain charged upon said real estate and the interest on the same to be regularly and annually paid to her by the purchaser or purchasers, said interest to be paid and computed from the first day of April, 1870, and the principal to be paid to the persons legally entitled to receive the same immediately upon her death; said dower to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. Ten per cent. or two-thirds of the purchase money to be paid on the striking down of the property, one-third of the purchase money less the ten per cent. to be paid on the confirmation of sale, and the balance of the two-thirds to be paid in one year from the confirmation of said sale, with interest on the same from confirmation of sale.

THOMAS CREVELING, Jr.,
Administrator of Eli Creveling, dec'd.

Scott Twp., March 11, 1870-2t.

PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pa., on SATURDAY, March 26th, 1870, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned, administrator, &c., of Elijah Yeager, late of Beaver township, in said county, deceased, will expose to public sale, on the premises, the following described real estate, to wit:

No. 1. A tract of land situate in Beaver township, bounded by the Main road leading from Bloomsburg to Danville, and lands of John G. Freeze, Abraham Young, Mrs. Ann Mann, McKelvy and Co., Dr. J. C. Rutter, Bloomsburg Iron Co. and others containing one hundred and seventy-three acres and allowance.

No. 2. A lot adjoining the above described, known as the "Still House" lot, containing about nine acres.

No. 3. A tract of land containing about two hundred and fifty-five acres situate in Fishingcreek twp., bounded by lands of John G. Moore, Abraham Young, William Kramer, Philip Appleman and others.

No. 4. A tract of land containing one hundred acres strict measure, bounded by lands of Robert Robbins, H. A. Miller Heirs of Robt. Montgomery, other lands of Jacob Eyer and others, situate in Greenwood twp.

No. 5. A tract of land situate in Greenwood twp., adjoining lands of the Heirs of Jacob Eyer, lands of Wm. Farman, Elizabeth Farman and others, containing fifty-four acres and ninety-nine perches, strict measure.

No. 6. A tract of land situate in Madison twp., containing one hundred acres strict measure, bounded by Dimott's creek, Fishingcreek and other lands of the Heirs of Jacob Eyer.

No. 7. A tract of land situate in Madison twp., containing one hundred and thirty-three acres and four perches, bounded by lands of Jacob Manning, the Heirs of Robt. Montgomery, Jacob Dennis and other lands of the heirs of Jacob Eyer.

No. 8. A tract of land situate in Madison twp. containing sixty-one acres and fifty-four perches strict measure, bounded by lands of Jacob Reichenbach, John Henderson, Philip Miller, other lands of Jacob Eyer and others.

No. 9. A lot of land situate in Greenwood and Mt. Pleasant twps., bounded by lands of Andrew Miller, Philip Miller, George Beagle and other lands of the Heirs of Jacob Eyer containing sixty-three acres and one hundred and fifty-five perches, strict measure.

No. 10. Four acres and one hundred and twenty-six perches of land lying in Greenwood twp. adjoining the town plot of Eyer's Grove and lying between Fishingcreek and Mill roads.

No. 11. About six acres of vacant town lots in the town plot of the village of Eyer's Grove.

No. 12. A three story dwelling house and lot of ground now occupied by Jacob Weliver, Eyer's Grove.

No. 13. A brick dwelling house and lot of ground now occupied by Wm. Kramer situate in Eyer's Grove.

No. 14. A frame store house and lot of ground in Eyer's Grove, now occupied by Wm. Kramer.

No. 15. A frame dwelling house and lot of ground in Eyer's Grove, now occupied by James Kinsey.

No. 16. A frame dwelling house and lot of ground situate in Eyer's Grove, now occupied by Elias Taylor.

No. 17. A lot of ground situate in Madison and Mt. Pleasant twps., bounded by lands of Amos P. Kessler, Hannah Swan and others, containing about twenty five acres known as the "Water right lot."

No. 18. A saw mill with a good water power, to wit: the use of the overplus from the grist mill adjoining the town of Eyer's Grove, together with about one-fourth of an acre of land situate between the grist mill, tail race and the old road.

No. 20. The undivided one-half of the following described tract or land whereon are erected a large three story brick grist mill, dwelling house and building with the appurtenances and bounded as follows to wit: Beginning at a post at the intersection of Center and Main streets of the town plot of Eyer's Grove and running thence along the line of Centre street, South seventy-eight and one quarter degrees East, ninety-eight and one-half feet to a post, thence south twenty degrees West one hundred and one perches and nine feet to a post, thence North seventy feet to the line of Main street, thence along the line of Main street, north eleven and three quarter degrees east, one hundred and five feet to the place of beginning, containing eighty thousand and eight hundred and forty-six and one fourth square feet and said lot and number ninety seven is the place of use for the Grist Mill, dwelling and the water right and privileges attached to and belonging to the said mill. Also the undivided one-half part or all that certain other lot of ground situate in Eyer's Grove, Greenwood twp., aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post at the intersection of Centre alley and Main street, and running thence south eleven and three-quarter degrees west, one hundred and thirty-six feet to Centre street thence along the line of Centre street, north seventy-eight and one quarter degrees west, one hundred and two feet to Main street, thence along the line of Main street, north eleven and three quarter degrees east, one hundred and fifty-six feet to the beginning, containing one thousand five hundred and thirty-two square feet and being lot number ninety-six in the town plot of Eyer's Grove.

You and each of you are hereby notified that in pursuance of a writ of partition or valuation issued out of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, for the partition or valuation of the real estate of said deceased, above mentioned and described, among the heirs and legal representatives of the said deceased, I will hold an inquest on the said premises, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the 21st, 22d and 23d days of April next, beginning at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said days respectively, when and where you are requested to attend if you think proper.

MORDECAI MILLARD,
Sheriff.

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DISSOLUTION.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between Nelson S. Tingley and John Kressler at Espy, Columbia county, Pa., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

NELSON S. TINGLEY,
JOHN KRESSLER.

feb25'70-3t.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES

OF THE

COUNTY OF COLUMBIA,

From January 1, 1869 to January 1, 1870.

JACOB YOHE, JR., Treasurer of the County of Columbia, in account with said County for County purposes for the year A. D. 1869.

DR.

1869.		
Jan. 6	To amount outstanding for 1868 and previous years	$2,291 10
" "	To amount per Auditor's Report January 1869,	1,692 57
" "	To J. R. Grotzinger and from C. House	15 00
Feb. 2	To Catawissa Co.'r. 1869 10 day list	1 85
" 11	To Geo. Beagle for bridge plank	2 00
" 19	To David Savage, old bridge, P. ck.	84 97
Mar. 11	To Hemlock co'r., additional tax	1 75
Apr. 15	To George Evans, Poor Overseer, Briarcreek	48 20
" 16	To J. R. Fritz, on sale of estray, Sugarloaf,	33 00
July 23	To amount of County tax assessed for 1869,	28,616 39
Aug 19	To James Farnsworth, plank	1 85
" "	To Jesse Coleman, jury fees for 1867 — 1868,	132 68
" "	To Jesse Coleman, fines,	156 00
Sept 13	To George Evans, Poor Overseer, Briarcreek,	88 00
Nov. 9	To Jas. McCormick on his costs,	30 00
"	To Registry List,	822 16
Dec 16	To David Savage, old bridge, Sugarloaf,	35 50
"	To note of $2000 discounted First National Bank, Bloomsburg,	1,977 65
"	To amount seated and unseated taxes returned,	53 63
"	To redemption money in hand,	500 00
"	To amount outstanding on State for 1869,	85 00
"	To amount received for use of court room of sundry persons,	85 00
"	To amount received on Militia fines,	44 18
" 31	To Jesse Coleman, jury fees,	16 00
"	" " fines,	157 00
"	To cash paid Assessors, &c., managing dog fund,	50 00
"	To Ten day list, Fishingcreek, 1868, added,	6 63
		$42,427 28

CR.

By amount outstanding for 1869 and previous years		$8,085 15
By amount outstanding for 1869 on State tax		35 00
By amount refunded to A. J. Colley for estray sold		33 00
By amount interest paid Bloomsburg Bank on $2,000		48 84
By amount paid State over amount assessed with amount outstanding		53 08
By amount commission allowed collectors		1,163 72
By amount exonerations do do		300 61
By amount County orders redeemed		30,032 97
By amount Treasurer's commission on $30,709 99		1,231 63
By amount balance due and paid over		603 47
		$42,427 28

JACOB YOHE, JR., Treasurer, of Columbia county in account with Tax on Dogs.

1869.

DR.

Jan. 6	To amount outstanding for 1868, &c	$849 97
	To amount assessed for 1869	1,405 00
		$2,254 97

CR.

By amount outstanding for 1869, &c.,		$513 81
By amount Sheep orders redeemed		1,406 12
By amount commission allowed collectors		116 41
By amount exonerations "		122 14
By amount paid assessors, &c., managing dog fund		50 00
By amount Treasurer's commission		70 31
By amount balance due and paid over		176 18
		$2,254 97

STATEMENT showing the amount of County and Dog Tax assessed in each district in the County for 1869, and the balance unpaid in each district December 31, 1869.

Districts.	County Assessed	County Due	Dog Ass'd.	Dog Due
Bloom	5,402 62	561 88	125 00	107 50
Briarcreek	1,243 41	294 95	61 00	11 00
Beaver	619 34	185 46	67 00	
Benton	745 81	266 73	58 50	16 50
Berwick	2,765 19	191 67	21 00	
Centre	1,057 14	555 54	68 50	
Catawissa	1,881 05	285 95	71 50	11 50
Centralia	774 31	774 08	8 00	8 00
Conyngham	2,273 31	638 84	81 00	20 00
Franklin	673 57	276 49	37 00	
Fishingcreek	1,683 68	440 10	69 50	
Greenwood	1,281 83	221 57	81 50	
Hemlock	1,044 51	878 98	59 00	29 45
Jackson	293 40		75 50	
Locust	1,114 03	636 05	120 50	40 50
Maine	649 08	141 80	38 50	
Montour	854 08	282 84	47 50	18 50
Mifflin	1,124 41	168 87	73 50	
Madison	1,698 32	191 80	69 50	
Mt. Pleasant	692 58		51 00	
Orange	1,966 82	379 75	56 00	
Pine	307 09		39 00	
Roaringcreek	421 37	202 37	30 50	10 50
Sugarloaf	281 57	39 55	44 00	8 00
Scott	1,942 24	373 22	46 00	
	28,616 59	7,537 09	1,405 00	289 45

The following is the amount due prior to 1869,

Districts.	Names of Collectors.	County tax.	Dog Tax.
Centralia Bor.	1866, W. H. Reinbold		5 50
Madison	1866, Jacob Bechtel	66 78	
Bloom	1868, J. H. Furman	261 61	
Conyngham	1868, D. T. M'Kiernan, dec'd.	219 64	39 00
Total		$547 46	$44 26
Add amount due from 1869		7,537 09	289 45
Amount due on County		8,085 15	
Add amount due on State for 1869,		35 00	
Total due		$8,120 24	$333 81
Expenses for the year 1869,			

Paid Auditors for county settlement		$74 00
" Auditors for Proth'y and Register accounts		25 00
" Assessors for spring assessments,		53 75
BRIDGE CONTRACTS.		
" W. A. Kile, Cole's creek, Sugarloaf Intake,	200 00	
" Daniel Metzgar, Raven creek, Fishingcr'k, Bal.	108 74	
" Eli Mendenhall, West ck. Benton,	380 00	
" David Savage near E. Cole's Sugarloaf,	885 50	
" John Leggott, building & repair, Pine,	110 00	1,684 14
" Bridge repair to sundry persons,		1,176 67
" Blank Books for county offices,		193 00
" County Buildings, repair, &c. to Prothonotary and Register's and Commissioners' offices, Court House fence, jail, fence and buildings,		852 11
" cleaning Court House,		34 00
" Commissioner's atty, E. H. Little,		75 00
" Court crier, M. Coffman.		102 50
" Commonwealth costs,		1,317 00
" Constable Returns to Court,		285 25
" Commissioner Mont. Cole	332 00	
" " D. Yeager	276 00	
" " Wm. G. Quick	242 00	
" " C. Robbins,	32 00	
" Commissioners' clerk W. Krickbaum,	650 00	1,532 00
" Court House extension, Balance,		183 31
" District Attorney E. R. Ikler,		48 00
" Election expenses, Spring	$ 83 33	
" " " Fall,	718 40	1,186 78
" Fox and wild cat scalps,		79 00
" Pauper,		62 50
" Inquests on dead bodies,		116 75
INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.		
Paid J. J. Robbins & Co., for recess matting C. Brown,		62 50
" Koons & Clark, boarding Police while at jail,		70 00
" Koons & Clark, boarding Jury on change of venue trial,		209 00
" Koons & Clark, boarding Jury Duffy trial,		109 50
" M. C. Woodward, guarding prisoners,		233 00
" S. H. Miller & Son, two chandeliers for C. Room,		232 08
" L. H. Little, fees in suit of Columbia Police,		172 79
" W. M. L'Velle, Attorney for Centralia Police bill,		2,628 44
" M. Millard, sheriff, on Pl. Fa. issued and placed back State debt from 1864 to 1868 with bals. and cost,		5,911 63
" Sundry persons,		177 92
" Insurance, Lycoming Co.		
" Jurors,		
" Jury commissioners,		
" Medical attendance on prisoners,		
" Poor house examination,		
" Penitentiary and Lunatic Hospital,		
" Prothonotary, Coleman,		
" Printing, W. H. Jacoby, Balance,	3 00	
" Printing C. B. Brockway,	317 70	
" J. S. Sanders, on account,	30 00	317 70
" Postage and Stamps,		8 00
" Road and bridge views,		24 00
" Road damage to sundry persons,		2,653 00
" Registry Expenses		362 25
" Register, Treasurer's Books, &c.,		14 05
" Sheriff boarding prisoners, &c., and conveying convicts E. S. Penitentiary and H. of Refuge,		1,701 00
" Stationery for Court,		41 99
" Sheep damage,		1,165 61
" Tip Staves,		210 62
" Tax refunded to twps.		142 07
" Teachers' county Institute, C. G. Barkley,		69 50
Amount of orders issued in 1869,		$20,852 55
Deduct sheep orders issued,	$1,165 61	
And tax refunded,	142 07	1,307 68
Expenses for the year 1869,		$28,544 67

STATEMENT OF DOG TAX.

Amount sheep orders unredeemed for 1867,	$1 75	
" sheep orders, unredeemed for 1868,	262 00	
" sheep orders, unredeemed for 1869,	1,679 49	$1,943 24
Deduct amount dog fund on hand,	176 18	
" amount uncollected, com's and ex. included	253 81	429 99
Excess of damage over said fund		$513 25

STATEMENT OF COUNTY ORDERS.

Total amount orders redeemed in 1869,	30,032 97	
Deduct amount old orders redeemed in 1869,	2,477 73	
Gives amount, redeemed of 1869	$28,456 74	
Add am't of 1869 not redeemed,	231 08	
Gives amount issued in 1869,	$28,686 74	
Amount due for 1867, R. views,	11 00	
" " " 1868, "	10 00	
" " " 1869, "	231 00	
Total,	$952 00	

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Columbia county, being duly elected to adjust and settle the accounts of the Treasurer and Commissioners, in Bloomsburg, and carefully examined the accounts and vouchers of the same from the 1st day of January A. D. 1869 to the 1st day of January A. D. 1870, and find them correct in the foregoing statement, and we find a balance due Columbia county on County Tax six hundred and three dollars and forty-seven cents, ($603.47) and Dog Tax one hundred and seventy-six dollars eighteen cents, ($176.18), from Jacob Yohe, Jr., Treasurer of said county. Given under our hands this fourth day of January A. D. 1870.

JACOB HARRIS,
A. J. ALBERTSON,
C. J. CAMPBELL,
} County Auditors.

JACOB YOHE Jr., TREASURER of Columbia county, in account with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for the year 1869.

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FARMER'S COLUMN.

Facts in Stock Raising.

Many farmers say it does not pay to keep stock, and in point of fact, they are often in the right. I can hardly see how it pays to keep a wether sheep three years and six months, getting say $7 for the three fleeces, and then selling him for $3. But I think it must be quite as profitable as to keep a steer the same length of time and then sell him for $50. Such a steer will eat as much as eight or ten Merino sheep. But the truth is, we cannot expect to make anything by keeping stock of any kind unless we keep it well; it must be gaining all the time. If we let a machine lie idle, all that we lose is the interest on the money which it cost. But an animal cannot be kept idle.

It must eat every day; and if it gains nothing we lose all the food and interest on the value of the machine besides. But many farmers not only keep them for weeks and months together without their gaining anything, but it not unfrequently happens that the animals actually decrease in weight. It has to live on its own flesh and fat—which is certainly a very expensive food. Even in the case of well-fed pigs, which store up more flesh and fat for the food consumed than any other domestic animal; for every pound of flesh and fat we get in the animal, they eat about five pounds of food. They use four pounds to live on and give us one pound of flesh. And when we have got this one pound, how excessively wasteful it is to feed it to the animal and have it worked, over again, and yet this is precisely what thousands of farmers are doing to-day with cows, sheep and pigs. No wonder that "keeping stock does not pay." But good stock, fed liberally and with care and judgment will pay better, all things considered, than any other branch of farming. Good meat brings a good price, and is always in demand. It is the "Scallawags" that are hard to dispose of, and always at a loss—a loss to the producer and a loss to the consumer. Those who buy such meat get little besides bones and water. The poor animals have had to live on their own fat and their nutritious juices.

The first step in keeping good stock is to make the land dry and clean. The next is to feed liberally, and this will insure good manure, and that in its turn insures good crops.

It is all very well to say that a "peck of clover seed to the acre is the cheapest fertilizer," and that by its free use we can dispense with manure. I do not dispute the truth of this proposition. No one thinks more highly of clover than I do. But it only tells half the story. Clover makes good food and good manure too. An animal will take out the food, convert it into valuable products, and leave the manure behind. Our aim should be dry, clean land, more clover and rich grass, more and better stock and more and better manure.

It cannot be too often repeated, however, that the value of manure depends on the food and not on the animals. A raw-boned steer, if it has the same food, will make as rich manure as the best Short-horn in the herd-book: and the droppings of a Merino sheep living on clover-hay and oil-cake are just as valuable as those from a Cotswold. But this is the point: we cannot feed clover-hay and oil-cake to a Merino with half the profit that we can to a Cotswold. The former is adapted to live on comparatively poor food and grow slowly; the Cotswold has been bred with especial reference to rapid growth on rich food. So when we advocate keeping well-bred stock, in order to make rich manure, we do so for the simple reason that we cannot afford to feed rich food to poor stock, and without rich food we cannot have rich manure.—*American Agriculturist.*

How to Get and Keep Good Farm Help.

The complaint of the want of good help is very general, if not universal. Mike hires out for six months at $30 a month and board, when he hears that Pat is getting $3 a day at a neighbor's. He gets uneasy and quits. As a consequence he is out of work in the fall and winter, and barely gets enough to pay his board. The farmer has to get a new hand in place of Mike, on such terms as he can. We have several suggestions to make to parties who want good help upon the farm. Hire by the year. There is nothing so much needed upon our farms as more labor. With that we can make more manure and more manure means larger crops, better dividends, and capacity to keep more cattle. There is no difficulty in keeping three or four good men busy all the year round, upon a 200-acre farm, and, if we have faith in our business, in finding the money to pay them. It is better for the hired men to be kept constantly employed, and better for their families. Take an interest in their welfare, and build cottages for them near the farm, or upon it. Encourage them to save something of their earnings to buy a home with. Men with families make the best laborers, and are most contented. Take an interest in their families, see that the children go to school, and when the boys are big enough, see that they have a chance to work and earn money for themselves. Help your help, and, as a rule, they will help you. They will see that their interests are identified with yours. Treat them as strangers or brutes, and they will reciprocate your incivilities. Even a cow will not give down her milk under the cudgel.—*American Agriculturist.*

Weaning Calves.

We generally take the calf from the cow at the end of twenty-four hours, and fasten it with about six feet of rope in a box stall; then milk the cow, and standing off far enough for the calf to reach you, wet your finger with milk, put it into its mouth, and gently lower your hand until it is immersed in the milk in the pail—let it continue to have the finger until you have given it enough. The next time dip the finger in the milk and place it in its mouth in contact with feed, gradually withdraw your finger and the thing is done. It may be necessary to repeat this at the third time. The secret is that you must stand just far enough so that the calf can just reach the pail of feed, as the rope will then be taut, and hence he cannot reach you or butt over or spill his milk or feed. We have practiced this for a number of years, and have had no trouble to teach calves to drink.—*American Stock Journal.*

THE YOUNG FOLKS.

Tae Alphabet Party.

A The Artist gave a party,
B The Banker paid the bills,
C The Curate ate quite hearty,
D The Doctor brought his pills.

E The Egg-man made the custard,
F The Fiddler played the viol,
G The Grocer brought the mustard
H The Hatter showed his tile.

I The Indian danced till dizzy,
J The Juggler twirled the balls,
K The Kitchen-maid was busy,
L The Ladies filled the halls.

M The Milkman came and yelled out
N The Nurse she laughed with glee,
O The Oyster-dealer shelled out,
P The Printer came to see.

Q The Quaker seemed quite sober,
R The Reporter looked obtuse,
S The Sailor half-seas over,
T The Tailor brought his goose.

U The Union Soldier shouted,
V The Villain slunk away,
W The Watchman routed,
X The Xcise man took pay.

Y The Yeoman tossed the babies,
Z The Zany teased the ladies,
& This Soiree broke up at three.

A Colorado Story.

How strange it all seemed to little Winifred! One year ago, or as she reckoned it, one snow time and one flower-time ago, she was living in Boston, and now she was in Colorado.

It was a great change—this going from comfort and luxury to a place where comfort was hard to find, and luxury not be thought of; where they had a log-hut instead of a house, and a pig in place of a poodle. But on the whole, she enjoyed it. Her father was what they came for, because the doctor had said Colorado air would cure him. And though mother often looked tired and troubled, she certainly never used to break forth into happy bits of song when father was sick in bed, as she did now that he was able to cut down trees in the forest. Besides, who ever saw such beautiful blue flowers and such flaming red blossoms in Boston? And those beautiful streams that now in the spring time, came rushing through the woods—silently sometimes and sometimes so noisily that if it were not for their sparkle when they passed the open sunny places, and the laughing way they had of running into every chink along the banks, one would think they were angry! Yes, on the whole, Winifred liked Colorado; and so did her little brother Nat; though, if you had told him Boston was just around the corner, he would have started to run there without waiting to put on his cap.

Such a little mite of a fellow Nat was, and so full of sunshine! Only one thing could trouble him; and that was to be away from mother even for half an hour. There was something in mother's way of singing, mother's way of kissing hurt little heads and fingers, mother's way of singing, mother's way of putting sugar on bread and mother's way of rocking tired little boys, that Nat approved of most heartily. He loved his father too, and thought him the most powerful wood cutter that ever swung an axe, tho' really the poor man had to stop and rest at nearly every stroke.

See those two children now trudging to the little stream near by, quite resolved upon having a fine rocking in father's canoe. This queer boat, made of bark, and sharp at both ends, was tied to a stake. Now that the stream was swollen and flowing on so fast, it was fine fun, to sit, one in each end, and get "bounced about," as Winnie said.

"You get in first, because you're the littlest," said Winnie, holding her dress tightly away from the splashing water with one hand, and pulling the boat close to the shore with the other.

"No you get in first, cause you're a girl," said Nat. "I don't want no helpin'. I'm going to take off my toos and tockies first, 'cause mammy said I might."

Nat could say shoes and stockings quite plainly when he chose, but everybody said "toos and tockies" to him; so he looked upon the words, and many other crooked ones, as a sort of language of Nat, which all the world would speak if they only knew how.

In at last—and both of them—and a fine rocking they had. The bushes and trees threw cool shadows over the canoe, and the birds sang, and the blue sky peered down at them through little openings overhead and, altogether, with the splashing water and the birds and pleasant murmur of insects, it was almost like mother's rocking and singing.

At first they talked and laughed softly. Then they listened. Then they talked a very little. Then they listened again, lying on the rushes in the bottom of the canoe. Then they ceased talking and watched the branches waving overhead; and at last they both fell sound asleep.

This was early in the morning. Mother was very busy in the cabin, clearing away the breakfast dishes, sweeping the room, making beds, mixing bread, heating the oven, and doing a dozen other things. At last she took a plate of crumbs and scraps, and went out to feed the chickens.

"Winnie! Nat!" she called as she stepped out upon the rough door stone. "Come, feed the chickens!" Then added, in a surprised way to herself: "Why, where in the world can those children be? They must have stopped at the new clearing to see their father."

At dinner time she blew the big tin horn that hung by the door, and soon her husband came home alone, hungry and tired.

"Oh! you little witches" laughed the mother without looking up from her task of bread-cutting. "How could you stay so long from mamma?

"Yes, very. But what do you mean? where are the youngsters?"

She looked up now, and instantly exclaimed in a frightened voice, as she ran out past her husband.

"O Frank! I've not seen them for two or three hours! I though to be sure they were with you. They surely would not have staid all this time in the boat!"

He followed her and they both ran to the stream. In an instant, the mother hastening on ahead through the bushes screamed back.

"O Frank! Frank! The boat is gone!"

All that day, and the next, and the next, they searched. They followed the stream, and at last found the boat—but it was empty? In vain the father and mother and their only neighbor wandered through the forest in every direction, calling: "Winnie! Winnie! Nat! Nat!" In vain the neighbor took the boat and explored the stream for miles and miles—no trace could be found of the poor little creatures, who full of life and joy, had so lately jumped into father's canoe to "have a rock."

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			Leave	
Pittston	3.14	10.30	4.32	7.50
Kingston	7.50	10.03	5.00	8.20
Plymouth	7.38	9.48	5.10	8.30
Shickshinny	7.58	9.09	6.10	9.09
Berwick	8.05	8.20	6.50	9.42
Bloom	8.28	7.53	7.30	10.17
Danville	4.50	7.15	8.10	10.55
	Leave	Leave	Arrive	Arrive
North'd	4.15	6.40	8.45	11.35

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" 9.15 "	Muncy,	Dep. 5.30 "
" 9.47 "	Watsontown,	" 4.57 "
" 10.05 "	Milton,	" 4.40 "
" 10.43 "	Danville,	" 4.00 "
" 11.05 "	Rupert,	" 3.40 "
" 11.17 "	Catawissa,	" 3.32 "
" 12.22 p.m.	Ringtown,	" 2.25 "
" 12.58 "	Summit,	" 1.50 "
" 1.08 "	Quakake,	" 1.40 "
" 1.30 "	E. Mahony June,	" 1.20 "
" 2.15 "	Dine, Tamaqua, Dine,	" 1.10 "
" 4.25 "	Reading,	" 10.40 a.m.
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1869.

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Trains leave Harrisburg for New York, as follows: At 5.35, and 8.10 a. m., 12.30 noon and 2.05 p. m., connecting with similar trains on Penna. Railroad, and arriving at New York at 12.15, noon, 3.50 and 10.00 p. m. respectively. Sleeping cars accompany the 5.35 a. m., and 12.30 noon trains without change.

Returning: Leave New York at 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon and 5.00 p. m. Philadelphia, at 11.15 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. Sleeping cars accompany the 9.00 a. m., and 5.00 p.m., trains from N. Y. without change.

Leave Harrisburg for Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Minersville, Ashland, Shamokin Pine Grove, Allentown & Phila'd. at 8.10 a.m., & 2.05 & 4.10 p.m., stopping at Lebanon and principal way stations. Also, at 4.10 p.m. train connecting for Phila Pottsville and Columbia only. For Pottsville Schuylkill Haven and Auburn, via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad, leave Harrisburg at 8.40 p.m.

Way Passenger Train leaves Philadelphia at 7.30 a.m., connecting with similar train on East Pa. railroad returning from Reading at 6.35 p. m. stopping at all stations.

Leave Pottsville at 5.40 and 9.00 a.m., and 2.45 p.m. Herndon at 9.30 a. m., Shamokin at 5.40 and 10.40 a. m., Ashland at 7.05 a.m. and 12.30 noon Tamaqua at 8.33 a. m., and 2.20 p. m. for Philadelphia and New York.

Leave Pottsville via Schuylkill and Susquehanna Railroad at 8.15 a.m. for Harrisburg, and 11.30 a. m., for Pine Grove and Tremont.

Reading Accommodation Train leaves Pottsville at 5.40 a. m., passes Reading at 7.30 a. m., arriving at Philadelphia at 10.20 a. m. Returning, leaves Philadelphia at 4.45 p. m., passing Reading at 7.40 p.m., arriving at Pottsville at 9.30 p.m.

Pottstown Accommodation Train leaves Pottstown at 6.45 a.m., returning, leaves Philadelphia at 4.00 p.m.

Columbia Railroad Trains leave Reading at 7.15 a.m., and 6.15 p.m. for Ephrata, Litiz, Lancaster, Columbia, &c.

Perkiomen Rail Road Trains leave Perkiomen Junction at 9.00 a. m., 3.00 & 5.30 p. m. returning; leave Schwenksville at 8.05 a.m., 12.45 noon, and 4.15 p.m., connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.

Colebrookdale Railroad trains leave Pottstown at 9.40 a. m. and 6.30 p. m., returning leave Mount Pleasant at 7.00 and 11.25 a. m., connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.

Chester Valley Railroad Trains leave Bridgeport at 8.30 a. m. and 2.05 and 5.02 p. m. returning, leave Downington at 6.10 a. m., 12.45 noon and 5.15 p. m., connecting with similar trains on Reading Railroad.

On Sundays, leave New York at 5.00 p.m., Philadelphia at 8.00 a.m. and 3.15 p.m., (the 8.00 a.m. train running only to Reading;) Pottsville 8.00 a.m.; Harrisburg at 5.35 a. m. and 4.10 p. m. and Reading at 7.15 a. m. and 10.05 p. m. for Harrisburg, at 7.23 a. m. for New York, and at 9.40 a. m and 4.25 p. m. for Philadelphia.

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EASTWARD. Accom.	Mail	STATIONS.	Mail	WESTWARD. Accom.
	P.M.	Via M. & E. Divis.	A.M.	
	5.00	Ar New York. [Lv	8.00	
	5.00	(*Pier Barclay St.*)	8.00	
	5.00	Christopher St.	8.00	
	4.45	Hoboken	8.15	
	4.20	Newark	8.40	
	1.09	Washington	11.30	
		via Cen. RR. of N.J.		
		New York		
	3.50	(*Pier Liberty St.*)	9.00	
	1.22	New Hampton	11.15	
	12.55	Oxford	11.45	
	12.45	Bridgeville	11.55	
	5.10	Philadelphia	7.30	
	3.46	Trenton	8.45	
	1.30	Phillipsburg	11.05	
	12.58	Manunka Chunk	12.05	
	12.33	Delaware	12.20	
	12.15	Mount Bethel	12.30	
	12.00	Water Gap	12.40	
	11.46	Stroudsburg	1.00	
	11.36	Sprague ville	1.10	
	11.26	Henryville	1.20	
	11.00	Oakland	1.38	
	10.51	Forks	1.53	
	10.32	Tobyhanna	2.16	
	10.19	Gouldsboro	2.30	
	9.55	Moscow	2.52	
	9.45	Dunning	3.03	A.M
.12	9.15	Scranton	3.45	9.30
.50	8.43	Clark's Summit	4.07	9.58
5.30	8.35	Abington	4.15	10.18
5.27	8.19	Factoryville	4.31	10.40
4.55	7.55	Nicholson	4.55	11.03
4.25	7.38	Hopbottom	5.15	11.28
3.57	7.15	Montrose	5.35	11.51
3.37	6.54	New Milford	5.55	12.13
3.15	6.40	Great Bend	6.10	12.33
P.M.	A.M.		P.M.	P.M.

CONNECTIONS.

At Binghamton with Erie Railway. Mail Train from New York connects with the Express Mail, leaving Binghamton at 8.37 P. M., with a sleeping Conch attached, stopping at all stations, and reaching Buffalo the next morning at 6.30.

Accommodation Train from Scranton connects with Way Train leaving Binghamton for Owego and Ithaca and the West at 2.00 P. M.; also connecting with Train on Syracuse, Binghamton & N. Y. R. R. for Syracuse, Oswego, &c., at 5.10 P. M. and with Train on Albany & Susquehanna R. R. for Albany and the North at 2.30 P. M.

Mail Train leaves Binghamton after the arrival (3.47 A. M.) of the Night Express from Buffalo.

Accommodation Train leaves Binghamton after the arrival of the Express Mail from Buffalo at 7.00 A. M.; also, Train leaving Syracuse at 8.15 A. M.

At Scranton, with Lackawanna & Bloomsburg R. R. and Delaware & Hudson Canal R. R. Mail Train from New York connects with Trains for Pittston, Wilkesbarre, Bloomsburg, Danville, Northumberland, Olyphant, Archbald, and Carbondale. Mail Train to New York, and the Accommodation to Binghamton also connect with trains on the above-named roads. The Accommodation from Binghamton connects with Lackawanna and Bloomsburg for Pittston Wyoming, and Wilkes-Barre.

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